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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: XXX	Complete:	Exploration	n:
Inspection Date	& Time: 1	1/17/2001 / 2:0	00pm - 4:00pm
•		st Inspection:	

Mine Name: Emery Deep Mine County: Emery	Permit Number: <u>C/015/015</u>					
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Consolidation Coal Company						
Business Address: P.O. Box 566, Sesser, Illinois 62884						
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface P	rep. Plant Other					
Company Official(s): Steve Behling and Bryan Clements						
State Official(s): Susan White Federal Official(s):	None					
Weather Conditions: Fair and cold						
Existing Acreage: Permitted 5180 Disturbed 247 Reg	graded Seeded					
Status: Active XXX						

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For <u>complete inspections</u> provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
 - b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

		EVALUATED	<u>N/A</u>	COMMENTS	NOV/ENF
1.	PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE		П	П	П
2.	SIGNS AND MARKERS	[X]	Ц	П	П
3.	TOPSOIL	[X]	П	[X]	П
4.	HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
	a. DIVERSIONS	[X]	\Box	[X]	\Box
	b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS		\Box		\Box
	c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	[X]	П	П	\Box
	d. WATER MONITORING	[X]	П	[<u>]</u> [X]	\Box
	e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	П	\Box		\Box
5.	EXPLOSIVES	\Box	Ш	П	
6.	DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES		\Box	П	\Box
7.	COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS		Ц	[X]	\Box
8.	NONCOAL WASTE	П		Ц	П
9.	PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED				
	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	П	\Box	П	\Box
10.	SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	П	\Box	П	
11.	CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	\Box	П	П	\Box
12.	BACKFILLING AND GRADING	\Box	\Box		П
13.	REVEGETATION	[X]	Ш	[X]	\Box
14.	SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	П	П	П	
15.	CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	[X]	П	[X]	П
16.	ROADS:				
	a. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING	\Box	\Box	П	П
	b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	\Box	\Box	П	П
17.	OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	\Box	\Box	П	
	SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	\Box	П	П	\Box
19.	AVS CHECK (4th Quarter- April, May, June)	\Box	\Box	П	
	AIR QUALITY PERMIT	\Box	П	П	Ц
21.	BONDING & INSURANCE	[]	[]	ſΊ	П

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PERMIT NUMBER: C/015/015

DATE OF INSPECTION: 11/17/2001

(COMMENTS ARE NUMBERED TO CORRESPOND WITH TOPICS LISTED ABOVE)

3. TOPSOIL

The Operator was reminded of the need to salvage and replace any topsoil disturbed when placing the culinary water line.

4A. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: DIVERSIONS

The perimeter of the surface facilities disturbed area was walked. All diversions were functional and clean.

4D. WATER MONITORING

Mr. Behling stated that he had entered data into the water database but still had to correct several errors.

7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS

The contractor was placing the water line though the refuse storage area. The line was being placed below the refuse depth; however, coal waste was being placed as bedding and fill for the line. Mr. Clements stated that this was the only area that the coal waste was being used as bedding and fill.

13. REVEGETATION

Any disturbances from the water pipeline and road upgrade within the disturbed area require interim seeding.

15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS

The Division has observed construction activities on the permit and disturbed area and will begin monthly inspections of the site. Additional staff has been hired by the mine. No official notice of resuming operations has been given to the Division by Consol.

Photos of this site visit can be downloaded or viewed at: ftp://dogm.nr.state.ut.us/PUB/MINES/Coal/C015/015/Images/11172001

Inspector's Signature:

Susan M. White

Date: December 3, 2001

Note:

This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining.

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